HB 708 -- Logging Industry Licensing Board

Sponsor: Liese

This bill contains provisions regarding the licensing of logging entities. The bill:

- (1) Creates within the Division of Professional Registration the Missouri Logging Industry Licensing Board;
- (2) Provides for the appointment, terms, powers, and duties of the board;
- (3) Creates the Missouri Logging Industry Licensing Board Fund in the state treasury;
- (4) Establishes standards for licensing of logger contractors;
- (5) Requires licensees to be bonded and insured and to maintain continuing education requirements established by the board;
- (6) Contains provisions regarding license renewal and inactive licenses; and
- (7) Authorizes the board to refuse to issue, suspend, revoke, and deny licenses and cause complaints to be filed with the Administrative Hearing Commission for reasons contained in the bill.